

Page 5 line 16 after -- torque -- comma changed to period
line 19 "subsequent" was -- subsequent --
lines 20- 26 New Paragraph added

Amendments to the Claims:

Claims 1-6 and 8, 9-11 (amended) , Claim 7 (previously allowed) , Claim 12 (new)

Listing of the Claims:

Claim 1, lines 12-13 after -- rolls -- "hereinafter . . . respectively." added

line 14 " means, supporting " was -- means, engaged by --

line 15 -- coreshaft means -- deleted

line 17 after -- second roll -- "assembly" added

line 21 after -- remove -- "said" was "the"

line 22 "second roll" added before -- assembly --

line 23 "assembly" added after -- roll --

Claim 2, line 2 "and sensors" added after -- computer controls --

line 3 "battery" deleted

Claim 3, line 1 "an" was "said"

line 2 "consisting essentially of" was "consists"

line 3 "each gripper bar" was -- each bar --

line 7 "second roll assembly" was -- coreshaft --

line 10 after - second roll -- "assembly" was added

Claim 4, line 5 "a web velocity sensor" was -- a sensor located on the web utilizing device -

Claim 5, line 10 "said roller shaft" was -- said shaft --

line 11 "dispensing first roll" was -- dispensing roll --

line 13 "second roll" was -- first roll --

line 16 "said roller shaft" was -- said shaft --

Claim 5 line 19 "rigidly attached" was -- attached --

line 20 "the spliced webs dispensing simultaneously and in" was -- the dispensing web in --

line 21 "said first and second" was -- said dispensing first -- and "from said first roll" was "splice"

Claim 6, line 1 "remove said first roll" was -- remove said second roll --

line 7 "dispensing" was -- unwinding -- (changed for consistency)

line 8 "second roll" was -- first roll --

line 10 "first roll" was -- second roll --

line 13 "said first roll" was -- said second roll --

Claim 8, lines 2-8 after -- raise the -- added "carriage which supports: a roll. . . second roll"

line 9 before -- such that -- deleted "roller supporting, loading, splicing and core retrieval mechanisms"

Claim 9, line 3 after -- including, -- "but not limited to," deleted

line 6 before -- unwinding -- "said" deleted

Claim 10, line 1 after -- wherein -- "a sequence of" added

Claim 11, line 13 after -- first roll -- "assembly" deleted

line 14 "second roll" was -- second roll assembly --

Claim 12, (new) In the course of amending, it became apparent to me that I had overlooked explicitly specifying and claiming a method of coreshaft removal, transportation and reuse, although it was implicit in the specification.

Therefore, I have added Claim 12, and in the *Specifications* I have added Page 4 lines 11-12.

When the patent issues, please append reference to the Patent Assignment to Tafel and Associates, Inc. contained herein on the following page. This assignment is a duplicate of the original executed April 2005.

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